

ECONFLEX MY

IMPROVED CEMENTITIOUS ADHESIVE WITH EXTENDED OPEN TIME

KEY FEATURES

- High strength powdered adhesive
- Can be used over Bostik approved waterproofing membrane
- Cost effective
- Environmentally friendly packaging
- Water washable
- No odour
- Convenient form
- Excellent rheology & workability
- Easy to spread
- For floor and wall application

DESCRIPTION

Econflex MY is improved cementitious adhesive with extended open time. It is a high strength powdered adhesive for wall and floor applications. Suitable to use over concrete, cement render, screeds, fibrous cement sheeting and Bostik approved waterproof membranes. Econflex MY is recommended for all internal applications. Econflex MY is ideal for bonding most type of tiles, eg. monocottura, fully vitrified tiles, natural stone, marble, granite, glass and mosaic and reconstitutes stone, engineer stone, artificial stone and quartz.

CLASSIFICATION / STANDARDS BS EN12004 CLASSIFICATION

C2 Improved Cementitous Adhesive E Adhesive with extended open time

SUITABLE SUBSTRATES

- Concrete
- Cement render
- Brickwork
- Blockwork
- · Fibrous cement sheeting
- Bostik approved waterproofing membranes

SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

All surfaces must be clean, dry and free from dust, grease, wax, oil, laitance, curing compounds and all other contaminants that likely to affect the adhesive bonding. Highly porous substrates must be primed with Bostik Hydroment 425 prior to tiling. Concrete should be allowed to cure for at least 28 days and cement render 7 days prior to tiling. A wood float finish is

	PERFORMANCE PROPERTIES	
	Typical properties conducted at 22°C and 50% RH	
	Appearance	Cementitious grey or white powder
	Wet Density	approx. 1.55 g/cm³
	Mixing Ratio	25 kg powder into 6.0 to 6.5 litres of water
	Pot Life	2 hours
	Open Time	30 minutes
	Tensile Strength	≥ 1.0 MPa
	After Immersion	≥ 1.0 MPa
	Heat Ageing	≥ 1.0 MPa

preferred. Smooth steel trowel finished concrete must be mechanically abraded to increase adhesion. If apply on waterproofing surface, the waterproofing membranes must have dried in accordance with manufacturer's instruction.

< 24 hours

EXPANSION JOINTS

Setting Time

Movement joints must be incorporated in the tile layout in accordance with AS 3958.1-2007 clauses 5.4.5.1 to 6

MIXING

25 kg of Econflex MY powder requires 6.0 to 6.5 liters of clean water. Add the measured amount of clean water into a clean container and gradually pour Econflex MY into the water while continuously mix using electric paddle mixer. Mixed thoroughly until homogeneous, smooth paste consistency is obtained. Let it stand for 2 minutes and mix again. The adhesive is now ready to use.

APPLICATION

Apply the mixed adhesive to the prepared substrate using the appropriate notched trowel for the size of tile being laid. Ensured that the bedded tiles are fully supported by the adhesive with no voids underneath or behind. Lay tiles onto the adhesive before it skins. The adhesive may also need to be applied to the back of the tiles to accommodate the required levels. Do not disturb tiles until the adhesive has dried. Commence grouting after 24 hours when tile work is firmed.

LIMITATION

Not suitable for tiling directly onto timber substrates.

· Not recommended for metal or plastic substrates.

GROUTING

Use appropriate Bostik tile grout. Allow joint widths 3 mm to 6 mm for floors as per AS 3958.1-2007 clauses 5.4.6.

COVERAGE

25kg bag cover:

approx. $6.7 \, \text{m}^2$, $3 \, \text{mm}$ thickness approx. $3.3 \, \text{m}^2$, $6 \, \text{mm}$ thickness approx. $2.5 \, \text{m}^2$, $8 \, \text{mm}$ thickness

* Actual site coverage may vary with different type of substrate, tiles, thickness and application method.

PACKAGING

25 kg paper bag.

CLEAN UP

Tools, equipment and spillage should be cleaned with water immediately.

STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE

12 months from the date of manufacturing if store in original, sealed and unopened packaging, in cold, dry and weatherproof environment.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

This product is non-toxic but contains cement. Bostik recommend the use of dust masks, eye protection and wearing of gloves when handling this product. Use good occupational health and safety practices to avoid personal contact. For more detailed information, refer to product SDS.

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